

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of the claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-23 Cancelled

24 (Currently Amended). A snowplow comprising:

- a plow frame member;
- a snowplow blade operatively ~~fixedly~~ attached to the plow frame member;
- a first hydraulic actuator operatively connected between the plow frame member and a first portion of the snowplow blade for use in maneuvering the snowplow blade;
- a second hydraulic actuator operatively connected between the plow frame member and a second portion of the snowplow blade for use in maneuvering the snowplow blade;
- control electronics operatively connected to engage the first and second hydraulic actuators, wherein the control electronics:
 - (a) are preprogrammed to automatically cycle the snowplow through one or more sequences of operations;
 - (b) are operatively connected to selectively independently engage the first and second hydraulic actuators; and,
 - (c) further comprise function engaging means for use in selectively enabling or disabling the control electronics to automatically cycle the snowplow through a sequence of operations, wherein the function engaging means is operatively communicated to the control electronics to selectively enable the one or more sequences of operations.

25 (Currently Amended). A snowplow comprising:

- a plow frame member;
- a snowplow blade operatively ~~fixedly~~ attached to the plow frame member;

a first hydraulic actuator operatively connected between the plow frame member and a first portion of the snowplow blade for use in maneuvering the snowplow blade;

a second hydraulic actuator operatively connected between the plow frame member and a second portion of the snowplow blade for use in maneuvering the snowplow blade;

control electronics operatively connected to engage the first and second hydraulic actuators, wherein the control electronics:

(a) are preprogrammed to automatically cycle the snowplow through a sequence of operations;

(b) are operatively connected to selectively independently engage the first and second hydraulic actuators; and,

(c) are preprogrammed with at least a first sequence of operations to oscillate the snowplow blade back and forth with abrupt movements for use in removing associated snow from the snowplow blade.

Claims 26 - 29 (Cancelled)

30 (Currently Amended). A snowplow comprising:

a plow frame member;

a snowplow blade operatively ~~fixedly~~ attached to the plow frame member;

a first hydraulic actuator operatively connected between the plow frame member and a first portion of the snowplow blade for use in maneuvering the snowplow blade;

a second hydraulic actuator operatively connected between the plow frame member and a second portion of the snowplow blade for use in maneuvering the snowplow blade;

control electronics operatively connected to engage the first and second hydraulic actuators, wherein the control electronics:

(a) are preprogrammed to automatically cycle the snowplow through a sequence of operations;

(b) are operatively connected to selectively independently engage the first and second hydraulic actuators; and,

(c) further comprise function engaging means for use in selectively enabling or disabling the control electronics to automatically cycle the snowplow through a sequence of operations, wherein the function engaging means is operatively communicated to the control electronics and wherein when an associated operator engages the function engaging means the control electronics automatically raises the associated snowplow and tilts the snowplow forward.

31 (Currently Amended). A snowplow comprising:

a plow frame member;

a snowplow blade operatively ~~fixedly~~ attached to the plow frame member;

a first hydraulic actuator operatively connected between the plow frame member and a first portion of the snowplow blade for use in maneuvering the snowplow blade;

a second hydraulic actuator operatively connected between the plow frame member and a second portion of the snowplow blade for use in maneuvering the snowplow blade;

control electronics operatively connected to engage the first and second hydraulic actuators, wherein the control electronics:

(a) are preprogrammed to automatically cycle the snowplow through a sequence of operations;

(b) are operatively connected to selectively independently engage the first and second hydraulic actuators; and,

(c) further comprise function engaging means for use in selectively enabling or disabling the control electronics to automatically cycle the snowplow through a sequence of operations, wherein the function engaging means is operatively communicated to the control electronics;

one or more snowplow lights operatively communicated to the control electronics; and,

wherein when an associated operator engages the function engaging means the control electronics automatically flash the one or more snowplow lights.